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## Palm Beach Trio Judged The Best

Palm Beach County's legislative delegation composed of Sen. John Beacham and Reps. B. Elliott and John Bollinger was voted the most effective three-member delegation in a secret poll of lawmakers announced at Tallahassee Saturday.

According to United Press reports, Palm Beach won the award by seven votes over Leon County. Dade County edged out the Pinellas delegation, 1947 winners, to take the most effective four-man combine honors.

The legislators selected Sens. Henry S. Bynard, St. Petersburg, and W. A. Shands, Gainesville, the most effective debaters in the 1949 upper chamber. Similar honors in the House went to Rep. Archie Clement, Tarpon Springs, and Rep. C. Farris Bryant, Ocala.

Because a special session is expected, the Cracker Police Award for "most valuable member of the 1949 session" will be delayed until after the assembly completes its work.—Palm Beach Times.

## Warren Releases Lantana TB Fund

TALLAHASSEE—Gov. Fuller Warren Wednesday approved release of \$125,000 for construction work on the new tuberculosis sanatorium at Lantana.

The release had been made by the other cabinet members on condition it met Warren's approval.

When complete, the 500-bed hospital will cost \$3,750,000 in state and federal funds. Nearly \$1,000,000 already has been spent on it. Administrator L. L. Lanier of the State Tuberculosis Board said the new release is needed to finish walls and roof of the main building to protect construction already completed.

Warren said he had no choice but to approve release of the money because "you can't let a \$1,000,000 investment go to pot."

He added, however, it would "be my position until the state is properly financed not to vote to release any more for any purpose down there."

Dick Pope has an optimistic viewpoint about the future of things in general—at least for another year; he reports that Pathfinder, a national magazine, has informed him they've scheduled a cover picture in color of Cypress Gardens for June 1950.

## These Folks Operate The Belle Glade Hospital

Here is the newly appointed list of directors of the Southwestern Palm Beach County Public Hospital Board, who operate the Belle Glade Hospital:

Harold Rabin, Chairman  
Fritz Stein  
Herbert D. Beck  
George Royal  
C. A. (Mutt) Thomas.

## Rotary To Furnish New Hospital Room

By unanimous vote at yesterday's regular meeting, members of the Pahokee Rotary club voted to furnish a private room at the new Pahokee Hospital. It was pointed out that there will not be enough money available to furnish all of the rooms, therefore the plan was advanced for civic clubs and other organizations in the community to donate furnishings.

Rotarians voted a maximum amount of \$400 for the project.

New President Frank Shaughnessy named his list of committees to handle the club's work during the coming year. The list of these committeemen will be printed next week.

## New Retread Job On 2 County Roads

Work is nearly complete this week on retreading Barfield Highway and Larrimore Road, according to an announcement by County Commissioner Paul Rardin under whose direction the work is being done. Recently county road forces widened Barfield Highway to thirty feet and put on a prime coat of all. Last week Belcher Oil Company of Miami, successful bidding contractors, put on a mixed-in-place surface 24 feet wide, making the popular county road a boulevard. Larrimore Road, running from the Pure Oil station to the State Market Road, also received a mixed-in-place surface. This road was the first one built in the Lake Region under Rardin's direction back in 1945. Only one coat of surface road could be secured back in those war days and to save the entire road the commissioner deemed it necessary to have a new surface job, which the Belcher Company is finishing this week.

## Roberts Named To Supreme Court

TALLAHASSEE — Governor Fuller Warren Wednesday named B. K. Roberts of Tallahassee, his boyhood friend and one of his closest political advisors, to succeed Justice Paul D. Barnes on the Florida Supreme court.

Barnes announced Tuesday night that he will retire from the bench Sept. 1 to become a professor of law at the University of Miami.

Roberts will serve until the general election in 1950, when the voters will name a man to serve out his term ending in 1953.

Roberts, 42 years old, is a native of Sopchoppy, a little Wakulla county town about 40 miles southwest of Tallahassee.

Teen-agers represent real buying power today, according to a recent survey conducted by Sales Management Magazine. Boys and girls between the ages of 13 and 19 have an average allowance or personal earnings of \$12.71 per week. Allowances and earnings of teen-agers run from \$4.03 to as high as \$25.56 per week.

## Flood Plan Brings End EDD District

TALLAHASSEE—The accomplishments of the Everglades Drainage District during nearly half a century were lauded here this week.

Abolished by the 1949 legislature, the old district will be supplanted by the new Central and Southern Flood Control District, and Col. A. G. Matthews, chief engineer of the State Division of Water Survey and Research, acclaimed the "long struggle and the magnificent strides made by the district in the development of the Everglades."

"The governor and legislators of the past who took part in that struggle were statesmen of the first rank," he declared.

"The engineers faced insurmountable obstacles and countless discouragements, but they surmounted obstacles and countless discouragements, but they surmounted them to make the Everglades one of the most unique productive areas in the world," he concluded.

It is roughly estimated that the final liquidation of the EDD district and its absorption into the new will be near completion by 1951.

The Okeechobee Flood Control District is also to be absorbed by the new district. It will wind up its affairs by midnight, July 31, 1949, under the terms of an act passed by the 1949 legislature. The Okeechobee district was the local agency that cooperated with the Federal government in the building of the big levees around Lake Okeechobee, and other work in the mid-thirties.

## Highway Safety Campaign Pays Off

The highway safety campaign for a safe and sane Fourth of July put on by the state highway patrol was very successful in the Lake Okeechobee Everglades despite heavy traffic over the holiday weekend.

Patrolman Valton Sheffield reports only one minor traffic accident in his territory with slight damage to the car but no injury to any person.

Patrolman W. R. Kaufman, stationed at Pahokee, also reports a weekend without any fatality or injury on the highway in his district of Palm Beach county. Slight damage to one car was the only traffic accident over the weekend, he reports.

## Father Of Mrs. Echols Dies In Alabama

J. L. DeLoach, 83, father of Mrs. Grady Echols of Canal Point, died at his home in Langdale, Ala., on Thursday, June 30, following an illness of several months. Funeral services were held in Langdale on Saturday, July 2. Mrs. Echols, who had been at her father's bedside for three weeks before his death, returned home Tuesday.

Miss Elizabeth Caraway is spending two weeks with friends in Lakeland.

## Family Reunion Is Held By Guthries

A barbecue dinner and family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Guthrie in Pahokee on July 4.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Guthrie and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mays and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Adams and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Guthrie, all of Miami; William Guthrie, U. S. Army, of Texas and Miami; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Guthrie, Delray Beach; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Guthrie and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Bose Levins and daughter, Opal, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Weverington, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Guthrie and granddaughter, Marcia Jean.

## Bacom Point Road Project Is Held Up

There may be a slight hold-up in letting the contract for building Bacom Point Road, since a handful of property owners have refused to sign right-of-way deeds. These deeds—call ONLY for land now being used by the Bacom Point Road—the same right-of-way that has been used for a quarter of a century.

No time will be lost in instituting condemnation proceedings against those who do not see fit to sign the deeds for the new highway. In the meantime wheels will be kept rolling in an effort to get the State Road Department to ask for bids with the county guaranteeing the SRD the right-of-way.

For years folks have cursed about the condition of Bacom Point Road. TODAY the money is in the bank ready to build it. NOW, there come those who would stymie the deal by holding out on the deed signing for right-of-way.

## Rev. Lively Will Go To Sebring Church

Rev. Arthur J. Lively, who has served as rector at Episcopal Church of the Holy Nativity in Pahokee, St. Johns Episcopal Church in Moore Haven and St. Martin's in Clewiston for the past three years, is leaving around the first of August to serve as rector at St. Anges Episcopal Church in Sebring.

Rev. Lively has been an active member of the Pahokee Lions Club and BPOE Lodge 1638 during his residence here. He assisted in the organization of a Glades unit of the Florida National Guard and is serving as captain and commanding officer of Company E, 211th Infantry, composed of Glades men, with headquarters at Belle Glade. Capt. Lively left last weekend with Company E for two weeks of training at Fort Jackson, Columbia, S. C.

Paying no high pressure solicitors and conducting its drive for funds to provide new buildings by mail solicitation, the Children's Home Society of Florida is calling on Floridians to give generously to the support of this worthy cause.

## Assessment Roll Shows An Increase

County Assessor James M. Owens, Jr., this morning presented to the County Commission, sitting as a board of equalization, a 1949 county tax valuation roll of \$180,955,202, the highest in the county's history.

It is \$10,223,409 more than the 1948 assessment roll and reflects, according to the commissioners, the county's continuing population growth. Valuations in 1948 totaled \$170,731,783.

Figures presented by Mr. Owens showed valuations have increased more than \$42,000,000 since 1945.

Assessor Owens commented, "this last year's increase represents a conservative valuation and was not based on today's costs of building material. If it had been, valuations would have increased about \$200,000,000 in the last five years."—Palm Beach Post.

## Talent Scout Show Is Winning Praise

A capacity crowd awarded Miss Joyce Lovell the first award in the Talent Scout Show, presented under the direction of Malcolm Millar, at the Prince Theatre, Tuesday evening.

Miss Lovell, a tiny miss who had been studying the piano one year, captivated the audience with her charm and personality and rendered two delightful numbers in a very artistic manner.

Herman Suggs and Coleman Conley, two young men from Sand Cut, took the second place with their mountain music and songs, handling the guitars in an expert manner.

Donald Pickett sang "The Lord's Prayer" with a fine, full and rich lyric tenor which brought a good round of applause.

Laverne Geiger was very pleasing with his tap dance, presented in a showman like manner.

Val Gibbaldon, a lad with a saxophone, whose head barely could be seen above his music rack drew a big hand with two renditions, which were masterfully given.

The guest star of the even was Clark Womack, accompanied at the piano by his sister Marian, who sang "On the Road To Mandalay" in a rich baritone voice and with excellent poise and received a rousing round of applause.

Mr. Millar announced he has a surprise for customers at the next Tuesday showing.

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Here is the newly appointed list of directors of the Northwestern Palm Beach County Public Hospital Board, who operate the Pahokee Hospital:

M. A. Batchelor, Chairman  
C. D. Geiger  
Orin S. Bacon  
J. V. Thomas  
Albert Fremd

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## TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

(By Russell Kay)

Progressive states such as California, Washington, Oregon, Michigan and others have quit kicking their highway problem around and have set up long-range programs carefully planned to provide adequate highways of permanent construction.

Florida would do well to follow their example, and it was disappointing to note that a bill introduced in the legislature by Senator Shivers got no consideration. The bill advocated the formation of a citizens' committee, appointed by the governor, with representation from all sections of Florida made up of legislative representatives of both the House and Senate, laymen and engineers.

The committee would make a thorough study of the state's highway needs for the years ahead and submit recommendations for a non-political program designed to meet them. The legislature would be under no obligation to accept the committee's findings and could approve or reject any or all of them.

Florida has long needed a thorough engineering appraisal of our highway system. No doubt, a long-range, highway program, based on factual information gathered by able, trustworthy and interested legislators, laymen and engineers would certainly recognize the vulnerability of road building to political and commercial abuse, promote the evaluation of financial, physical and economic aspects of highway planning, construction and administration and carefully consider the matter of highway use and regulation.

In Florida, streets and highways consist of three distinct systems. They are administered by the state and 67 counties and the various incorporated municipalities. Roughly, the state system contains 8,950 miles, the county road system 30,792 miles and municipal streets 11,102 miles, a total of 50,844 miles.

Condition and traffic surveys on the state road system are kept up to date with reasonable accuracy, state road department records indicate, but the extent and condition of county and municipal highways, streets and bridges are comparatively unexplored and unknown factors. A condition survey to determine local road needs, therefore, would be one of the principal objectives of a long-range planning committee.

According to statistics now available, it is rather accurately calculated that of the 8,950 miles of state system and 114 miles of bridges, 4,333 miles of roads and 411 miles of bridges are totally deficient, and for the safety and effective service of the traveling public require reconstruction at an estimated cost of \$249,201,000 for roads and \$49,964,000 for bridges. But to obtain the whole picture of Florida's highway needs, it is equally as important to know these same things about county roads and city streets.

At a recent meeting of the Third Annual Florida Highway Conference, a session sponsored by the civil engineering department of the University of Florida, a resolution was adopted favoring a long-range highway survey and copies were sent each legislator.

At that meeting, J. P. Buckley, of the Automotive Safety Foundation, pointed out that "Florida happens to be one of the states where the vehicle increase is considerably greater than the national average. There are a quarter of a million more cars, trucks and buses on your streets and highways

now than before the war. During 1948 alone, the jump was something like 66,000. But to make matters worse, the ratio of heavier vehicles to automobile is steadily mounting. In 1941 Florida had about 85,000 registered trucks. Today there are well over 150,000, an increase of over 75 per cent."

Buckley, along with L. S. Tuttle of the Public Roads Administration, made fervent pleas for a long-range planning program for Florida. Buckley stressed the fact that Florida, in proportion to its population, uses its highways more than any other state with the possible exception of California, its strongest competitor for tourist business. This fact alone he maintained was ample justification for long-range planning.

A check with the State Highway Department shows for the ownership and use of their motor vehicles on the highways, Florida motorists paid in licenses and gas taxes in 1948 a total of \$64,747,000, of which only 60 per cent or \$38,361,000 was used for highway purposes.

I have always considered highways as a public undertaking sponsored and developed by governments, with tax funds and labor supplied by the citizenry. Highway financing has evolved from tax payment by personal labor, through to ad valorem and property taxation, to the present use whereby highways are developed on the public's willingness and ability to repay in service for its cost.

Let this ability be lessened, either by neglect or malnutrition, and the highway income and its beneficial advantages to society will cease. Again the need for planned highway system.

## Anniversary Party For Mr. & Mrs. Davis

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Davis celebrated their fifteenth wedding anniversary with an outdoor supper and swimming party at the Pahokee city park on Thursday evening of last week. Refreshments of homemade ice cream and cake were served and the couple were showered with many lovely gifts. Guest were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Friend, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Raulerson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Spooner, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Thadd Whidden, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Maxson, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Alley and Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Mock.

## Goodson - Kautz

Miss Lena L. Goodson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Goodson of Canal Point, and Walter Jacob Kautz, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kautz, Sr., also of Canal Point, were married at the Presbyterian Church in Stuart on June 9 with the pastor of the church officiating.

The bride wore a pink light wool dress of street length with white accessories. She is a graduate of Pahokee High School, Class of 1949, and is employed in the office of the Pahokee Drainage District at Canal Point.

Mr. Kautz graduated from Pahokee High School in 1945 and served in the U. S. Army for three years in the Pacific area. He is now attending the University of Florida, Gainesville, a member of the Junior Class.

The Seaboard Airline Railroad will add 31 new stainless steel sleeping cars to its fleet of streamliners to be operated on the "Silver Meteor," "Silver Comet" and "Silver Star" between New York and Florida. It was announced by passenger traffic manager C. E. Bgll.

## News Notes From State Capital

TALLAHASSEE — Schools of Florida are beginning to cut back 25 percent "straight across the board" from the amounts they expected to spend in the two fiscal years starting July 1. The state board of education ordered the cut on recommendation from State School Superintendent Tom Bailey. Thus, he said, the counties will get no more in cash money than they have been receiving over the past two years. He said this reduction will permit only seven instead of nine months of school. Meanwhile the massive school lobby was starting to swing into action, with Mrs. J. Floyd Griffin of Tampa, president of the Florida Congress of Parents and Teachers, calling on its members to urge legislators to find more money.

TALLAHASSEE — The first "streamliner" for North and West Florida will begin operation between Jacksonville and New Orleans on July 31. This service was urged by Chairman Wilbur C. King of the Florida Railroad and Public Utilities Commission and who also suggested the name "Gulf Wind" for the train due to its course mainly along the Gulf coast. This suggestion was followed by the two cooperating railroads—L&N and Seaboard. The train, to include the most modern air conditioned cars, will cut five hours from the 20-hour schedule between Jacksonville and New Orleans, and will reduce train travel time by as much as 12 hours from Miami and Sarasota to Tallahassee. Mr. King in suggesting the name "Gulf Wind" for the streamline train, said that it was appropriate because the Gulf of Mexico largely contributes to the growth and activities of bordering states, through which the new train will travel.

TALLAHASSEE — If a man goes to jail for contempt of court because he won't pay alimony or support money for his child, that's just too bad. The state pardoning board can't turn him loose. Attorney General Richard W. Ervin deals with this poignant topic in an opinion to the state board of pardons. The board, said the attorney general, could pardon for a criminal contempt, such as socking the judge in the eye, but not for refusing to carry out the court's orders in re alimony or support.

TALLAHASSEE — In this state the dog no longer is entitled to the first bite, nor is the clumsy motorist allowed his first accident for free. The recent legislature made dog owners liable in damages for any bites their pets may take, as on the mailman's trousers. And the amendments to the financial responsibility law, which was started two years ago, makes the driver at fault pay up for his first accident or lose his driving rights. Two years ago the law didn't clamp down until the second accident. State Treasurer Ed Larson as insurance commissioner administers the law.

TALLAHASSEE — W. Turner Wallis, of West Palm Beach, engineer for the Everglades Drainage District, has reported to the water control office here that work on the big \$208,000,000 south and central flood control work is expected to begin August 1. First part of the program, in which Florida will participate, will center in Palm Beach and Broward counties, Wallis said.

TALLAHASSEE — Governor Fuller Warren has cut his vacation short and returned to the capitol due to "urgent state business." The Governor declined to elaborate further on his statement but said that his coming back early had to do with the "state's financial condition." Warren, married Sunday afternoon in California, returned to Tallahassee Tuesday night and was in his office Wednesday. After a hurried meeting with available cabinet members, the governor had a press conference at which he said

"I still don't know when I will call a special session, but the only alternative to this extra session is the financial collapse of the state's government."

TALLAHASSEE — One of Florida's top educators resigned his post this week and issued a blistering attack on politics in state education circles. Dr. Edgar L. Morphet, former director of administration and finance in the education department, submitted his resignation with regrets saying he hoped "that the citizens and educational leaders will eliminate conditions that now handicap education." Morphet charged the state education program will never progress unless the "office of state superintendent is freed from the temptations that often exist to place political considerations above personal needs and to employ or dismiss personnel on the basis of political rather than educational factors." Morphet, who was largely responsible for the 1947 school code, has been on leave of absence from the state department. His resignation was sent in from Washington, D. C.

## Cabinet Releases Funds To 42 Groups

TALLAHASSEE — The cabinet released funds to support 42 state institutions and agencies Wednesday but it built a reserve of \$4,954,139 in the treasury by holding back 25 per cent of the amount proposed by the legislature.

The reserve fund will be held for the next three months or until the legislature meets in special session to increase the state's revenue.

All of the reserve was in the general revenue fund. The largest single amount withheld from an agency was a \$2,958,625 cut in the public school fund.

The cabinet, sitting as the Budget Commission, released \$13,796,705 to the agencies while the general appropriations act passed by the legislature and approved by Gov. Fuller Warren would have allotted \$18,750,843 to the agencies.

The cabinet held back all of the big construction fund approved for flood control in Florida. It totalled \$1,250,000. It did release \$5,250 to allow the department of water survey and research to continue making plans for flood control.

Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Armstrong spent Tuesday and Wednesday with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Armstrong, in Miami.

## Bride's Shower For Mrs. Walter Kautz

Mrs. Lon Adams and Mrs. Steven Irier entertained at the home of Mrs. Edna Barrett on Thursday afternoon of last week with a bride's shower honoring Mrs. Walter J. Kautz, the former Lena L. Goodson.

The living and dining rooms of the Barrett home were beautifully decorated with bouquets of cut roses and gardenias. Miss Marlene Williams played a piano solo. Contest prizes were won by Mrs. Harold Rosenberg, Mrs. Iesta Kautz and Mrs. Osceola Upthegrove. The bride's mother, Mrs. A. E. Goodson and Mrs. Irier assisted the honoree with the opening and display of the many lovely gifts.

The hostesses were assisted with the serving of homemade ice cream and cake to approximately 38 guests by Mrs. Joseph Rosenberg.

## Mrs. Malcolm Rogers Honored At Shower

Mrs. Earle Pitts, Mrs. Robert Sullenger and Mrs. Davis Kiecklighter entertained at the Woman's Club building on Thursday night of last week with a party and bride's shower honoring Mrs. Malcolm Rogers, the former Sara Jane Baker.

The gifts table, covered with a lace cloth, was topped by a pink and green parasol and the bride's table was centered with a miniature bride. Mrs. Robert Sullenger was in charge of the bride's book. Many lovely gifts were received by the honoree.

Contest prizes were won by Mrs. James Sullenger, Miss Barbara Phillips and Mrs. Rhoda Grigsby.

## Parker - Maxson

The marriage of Miss Lydia Parker of Belle Glade to Elmer Albert Maxson of Canal Point, is announced by her father, Benjamin C. Parker. The wedding took place in Donaldsonville, Georgia on June 29th.

The bride wore a white crepe street length dress with matching accessories for the service.

She is a graduate of Belle Glade High School class of 1949, and he graduated from Pahokee High School in 1941.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Maxson of Canal Point, and is employed by the U. S. Sugar Corporation at Bryant. They are now on a wedding trip in Mississippi. They will make their home in Canal Point.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Shirley are spending a month with friends and relatives in Ohio.

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## Cinematic Chatter

By Malcolm Millar

Wrapping three stars like Clark Gable, Spencer Tracy and Jeanette McDonald in one bundle of entertainment and adding a good supporting cast is really delivering a fine package of entertainment, and that is just what is done in the picture "San Francisco", which is to be filmed at the Prince Theatre this Sunday-Monday.

The story is one of the most exciting tales imaginable, unreeling the wild excitement of the gold-rush days of California prior to the great earthquake and ending with all of the heart pounding thrills of that historical event, filmed in such a manner that not one detail has been left out and you're continually grasping your seat to keep your heart from slapping you in the face.

There never has been a greater story, a greater cast or a greater dramatic picture than "San Francisco" and I hope you won't miss it.

Don't forget Talent Scout Night every Tuesday.

See you at the movies—Mal.

The regular meeting of the Florida Wildlife Federation will be held at Sarasota July 9-10 with headquarters at the Orange Blossom Hotel, Florida. Sportsman from throughout the state are expected to attend.

H. M. McIntosh is leaving this weekend to join his family for a two weeks' visit at Panama City.

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July 12. Chevrolet vs Standard Oil  
—Bank vs Ford.  
July 15. Bank vs Chevrolet  
—Stand. Oil vs Jones Hdw.  
July 19. Ford vs Chevrolet  
—Bank vs Jones Hdw.  
July 22. Standard Oil vs Bank  
—Jones Hdw. vs Ford.  
July 26. Jones Hdw. vs Chevrolet  
—Ford vs Standard Oil.  
? Chevrolet vs Standard Oil  
—Bank vs Ford  
? Bank vs Chevrolet  
—Stand. Oil vs Jones Hdw.  
? Dates to be set—probably  
Sundays to be announced.

## STANDINGS

	won	lost
Bank of Pahokee	2	0
Ford	2	0
Standard Oil	1	1
Jones Hardware	0	2
Chevrolet	0	2

## Citrus Mutual Has Temporary Mgr.

LAKELAND — Walton Rex of Orlando was named executive officer of the Florida Citrus Mutual this week while President A. V. Saurman is in California. Saurman left last Friday to visit his father who is ill, and could not say just when he would return.

Rex is a vice president of the big citrus cooperative.

Dan McKinnon of Winter Garden Finance Committee chairman, reported \$11,807 had been raised by an appeal to members for contributions to keep Mutual running through the summer months.

Under the charter such funds may be raised by a small tax per box of fruit handled by members, but Mutual came into operation so late in the season that it was not practical to put that plan into effect for the few weeks remaining.

It will be adopted for the 1949-50 season beginning in September.

John T. Lesley was selected by the Allotment Planning Committee as its chairman. R. Parks Williams of Leesburg was named vice-chairman.

The committee will determine a system of quotas fair to all mem-

bers in the event large supplies make an allotment program necessary, officials said.

Mrs. James T. Holden and children and Miss Nancy Hillier have returned from a month's visit with relatives in the New England States.

P. M. Cate, Jr., left Saturday to join his family at Fort Myers Beach where they are spending a summer vacation.

Marcia Jean Guthrie is visiting her father, Norwood Guthrie, and Mrs. Guthrie in Miami this week.

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# Gipsy Holiday

By "Daniel Boone" Bacon  
This is a saga of three Pahokees seeking a few days relief from muck, mosquitoes, gnats and gnats.

We left on Saturday with a few groceries, gas stove and lantern in the trunk . . . tent, blankets, air mattress, a few clothes and Sharron in the back. . . . Wanna, a road map, two hundred and thirty-six dollars and myself in the front.

We made Juniper Springs the first day, as planned, and found Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Denton camped there waiting for us. . . . it rained on us most of the day and was pouring when we arrived. Making camp under ordinary conditions is job enough but in a downpour it is something else. . . . we solved our problem by pitching the tent under a shelter in the park upon two picnic tables.

If I were to commit a crime and "Judge Richardson" were to sentence me to ten days in a watermelon—the experience would not be much different than being holed up at Juniper waiting for the rains to stop and get dried out.

We finally got away and headed north through Georgia traveling secondary roads — avoiding as much traffic as possible. . . . not having been far off the muck for six years—the hills and trees of Georgia were a beautiful sight to us.

If I were a bird and lived in that State—the last place I would go to build my nest would be in one of those silly looking gourds in someones front yard, high on a pole. . . . everyone has them and they are rather unique.

Now that the Lions Club has about finished the pool that would make a good project for them. . . . A Gourd Pole in everyone's yard. . . . most Lions are Georgia Crackers anyway.

We met the Dentons again at Little Ocmulgee State Park. . . . a wonderful place for campers all fixed up with modern conveniences. . . . we finally ran out of rain and mosquitoes.

The back country of North Georgia and the Chattahoochee National Forest are as beautiful a spot for a camping trip as we have ever seen.

We spent some time at Rock Eagle Mound. . . . a very impressive sight. It is a huge pile of small rocks. . . . piled to form an Eagle with wings spread and head facing the east. . . . it is 110 feet long and the wing spread is 102 feet. . . . it brings to your mind right quick that something was going on in this country long before beans, broccoli and bacon. . . . it is way up on a high hill and the rocks had to be carried up there. . . . we were reliably informed that it was done long before draglines and dump trucks. . . . the stone marker bears a bronze plaque upon which is a lot of conversation including this warning:

"Tread softly white man  
For long ere you came  
Strange races lived,  
Fought and loved."  
To have piled that much rock I would have to be much more alive than I am today. . . . feel more pugnacious and have the promise of a whole covey of Rita Hayworths. . . .

We followed the Dentons into Chestatee Knoch and camped that night. . . . Georgia was left behind with nothing was happening than my being called down by Sharron for calling a Jack by its full name.

We parted company with the Dentons in Robbinsville, N. C. Wednesday noon. They headed up the side of a mountain looking for some friends of theirs. We are heading up to the Joyce Kilmer Memorial Forest. . . .

Daniel Boone Bacon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Frasure, Sr., left this week to spend the summer with relatives and friends in Van Buren, Ark., and Oklahoma.

## Figures Show Vets Draw Half Million For Unemployment

Almost \$400,000 have gone to unemployed veterans in the Belle Glade area under the Readjustment Allowance program from July 1946 through May of 1949, according to the figures of the Florida Industrial Commission. Included in the Belle Glade area are the west half of Palm Beach County, Glades and Hendry counties.

The Commission has served as agent for the payment of veterans readjustment compensation since the program was inaugurated in the fall of 1944. However, county data on claims was not kept prior to July 1946.

For a majority of the estimated 250,000 Florida veterans this program will end on July 25 of this year, unless changed by Congress. The G. I. Bill now states that no veteran may draw a readjustment allowance more than two years after his discharge, or after the end of the war, whichever comes later. President Truman officially declared hostilities at an end on July 25, 1947.

The peak period for the Belle Glade area in checks paid out to unemployed veterans came in July 1947 while the peak period for the state was August 1946, according to Arthur M. Larrimore, manager of the local Florida State Employment Service office. During that month, \$25,886 was paid out to Belle Glade ex-servicemen in the program which provides for them \$20 per week for a maximum of 52 weeks.

A special study made during the week ending May 21, 1949, revealed that veterans received 115 compensation checks through the Belle Glade office of the Florida State Employment Service.

Of these 115, 23 or 20 percent were in the first period of drawing compensation, 1-9 weeks. Twenty or 17.4 percent were in the second period of 10-19 weeks; 25 or 22 percent in the third, 20-29 weeks; 23 or 20 percent in the fourth, 30-39 weeks; and 24 or 21 percent in the final period of 40-52 weeks.

According to the latest data available, a total of \$14,403 went to veterans in the Belle Glade area during May of this year. During the week ending June 17 there were 128 continued claims and eight initial claims for Servicemen's Readjustment Allowances in this area.

"But of the 250,000 Florida veterans, 125,308 drew one or more payments from 1944 when the G. I. Bill of Rights became effective through May of this year. A total of \$55,298,380 has been paid in the state to compensate 2,772,895 weeks of unemployment.

In Florida as a whole, 18,774 veterans drew their full 52 weeks compensation. The average per claimant, however, was 22 weeks, or less than half they were entitled to by law. The average amount paid to veterans was \$441.

In the year just past, March 1948 through May 1949, the number of veterans drawing compensation dropped sharply, partly because some had exhausted their eligibility and partly because most veterans were "readjusted."

As indicated by a recent study, approximately 30 percent of those now receiving readjustment allowances have earned enough credits to be eligible for unemployment compensation from the state after July 25 if they are still unemployed and looking for work. The percentage of those with accumulated benefits would be much higher except that employers with less than eight workers and government and agricultural establishments are not covered by the Florida Unemployment Compensation Law.

Larrimore pointed out that the amount these veterans would receive under the Florida Law would vary from \$5 to \$15 per week depending upon the worker's earnings. Benefits under the Servicemen's Act are \$20 per week for unemployed veterans.

## Personal

Martha Sellers celebrated her sixth birthday anniversary at a party given by her mother, Mrs. Terry Sellers, at their home Friday afternoon. Games were enjoyed and refreshments were served by the hostess to approximately 15 guests.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Alderman and son, Tripp, visited relatives in Lake Placid and Sarasota over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mackey and children are spending a month's vacation at Fort Myers Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Mole and children spent the holiday weekend with relatives in Lake Placid.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Young are spending the summer with their daughter and family and other relatives in St. Augustine.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alderman attended the rodeo in Arcadia on July 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Case of Fort Lauderdale and Mrs. Hyzer of Miami were guests of Mrs. Edna Barrett Sunday and dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Adams Monday. On their return home they were accompanied to West Palm Beach by Mrs. Barrett who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edward Forbes in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simmons of Tampa spent the weekend here with her mother, Mrs. Betty Sims.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Barnes and daughter, Stella Sue, and Mrs. Barnes' mother, Mrs. Pearl Agner, visited relatives in Perry over the weekend. From there Mrs. Agner and Stella Sue traveled on to Indianapolis, Ind., for a visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Agner, and will also visit Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Agner and children in Chicago, Ill., before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Caruthers and children spent the weekend at Keystone Heights visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Gundlach, and family and Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Willingham.

Thomas Baldwin was a business visitor in Orlando on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Hamilton and son, Charles, have returned from a two weeks' visit with friends in the Western States.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Riddle and son have returned from a visit with relatives in Tennessee and Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pope and Mrs. Pope's mother, Mrs. James H. Marshall, Sr., and brother, J. H. Marshall, Jr., and Miss Lauris Rogers enjoyed an outing and picnic dinner at Matheson Hammock near Miami Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Vann and children have returned from a month's visit with relatives in Sarasota and Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hundley and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Boe and sons and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Simonsen and sons spent July 4 at Boynton Beach.

Wallace Barnes left Tuesday to spend a vacation with relatives in Swainsboro, Ga. He was accompanied as far as Griffin, Ga., by Bill Shirley who will spend the summer there with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Burks.

Miss Nell Dunaway spent the weekend in Miami with her brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Carl Dunaway.

Mrs. Bertha Starling and Mrs. Becky Starling and daughter, Judith, are vacationing at Fort Myers Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Vorhees and son, Boyd, Jr., spent the weekend in Miami visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Lee, Jr. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Lee and son, Pete, who are guests of the Vorhees this week.

Mrs. C. R. Wroten had as a guest the past week her sister, Mrs. Mae Bailey of Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brewton will return home this week from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Statesboro, Ga.

Among those who enjoyed the holiday weekend at Jensen Beach were Col. and Mrs. Evans and daughter of Fort Mayaca, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Carter and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Elliott and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lynn and son, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Unwin, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Blech, Mrs. J. E. Unwin, Mrs. Josh Crews and son and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Riddle and son.

Leland Shirley, Lee Wroten and Frank Gillis spent the weekend on a fishing trip to Fisheating Creek. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Phillips and children and Mrs. Johnny Davis were visitors in Moore Haven Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Frasure and sons, Larry and Homer, Jr., returned Saturday from Buzzard's Bay, Mass., where Mr. Frasure has been stationed. Mr. Frasure's ship will be in dry dock at Jacksonville for three weeks following which he will leave for South America.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Davis are spending a two weeks' vacation with his father, D. D. Davis, in Baker, Fla., and with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. B. Dunbar, in Georgia.

Walter J. Kautz, University of Florida student, spent the holiday weekend with relatives in Canal Point.

Mr. and Mrs. "Peewee" Smith and children are spending a vacation in Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Pickard of Chicago, Ill., are guests here of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Sears.

Miss Dorothy Tucker of Las Vegas, Nev., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Tucker, Sr., in Canal Point.

Mrs. Eva Spencer is spending a month's vacation in Los Angeles, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Erickson and children are vacationing in North Carolina and Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ogle of West Palm Beach visited his mother, Mrs. Claude Santee, and Mr. Santee here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ennis are spending two weeks with relatives and friends in Georgia.

Edwin Rice left Friday for a visit in Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Pickett and son, Donald, were recent visitors in Key West.

Jim Grey has returned to Fort Lauderdale after a visit with Hoke H. Shirley, Jr., in Pahokee.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sowder and children are visiting relatives in Kentucky and Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Segree and son, Allan, plan to move from Pahokee the first of August to make their home in Indian town where Mr. Segree operates the Segree Produce Company.

Eddie Stanley leaves this week for a six weeks' training course at the Naval Reserve Officers Candidate School at Newport, R. I.

Sasser Watson, Emory University student, Atlanta, Ga., is spending a vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Frasure, Sr., Mrs. Roy Kautz and Mrs. I. J. Frasure, Jr., visited "Uncle" Tom Campbell at Shirley's Rest Home in Lake Worth Tuesday.

**WANT YOUR SHARE?**  
TAMPA — How would you like to have a part of \$800,000,000? You have a chance every year, according to Biff Carr, executive director of Highway 27 Association. Biff states that each year tourists spend that much in Florida, and the Association is making plans now to direct a large share of this travel over U. S. 27 which passes through central Florida reaching such attractions as Silver Springs, Cypress Gardens and others. The Association plans to spend \$25,000 in northern advertising for the 1949-50 tourist season.

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### Canal Point Missionary Baptist

#### SUNDAY

Baptist Hour Radio Program 8:30 a. m., WIOD (Miami), WDBO (Orlando), WFLA (Tampa).  
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.  
Worship Service, 11:00 a. m.  
Baptist Training Union, 6:45 p. m.

#### MONDAY

Ione Patterson Circle of W. M. U. meets every third Monday of each month, 2:30 p. m.  
General W. M. S. meeting every fourth Monday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

Deacons meeting on Monday night before first Wednesday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

#### TUESDAY

R. A.'s, 7:00 p. m.

#### WEDNESDAY

Sunbeams, 2:30 p. m.

C. A.'s, 3:30 p. m.

Prayer Meeting, 8:00 p. m.

#### THURSDAY

Annie Jones Circle of W. M. U. meets every third Thursday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

### First Baptist Church

Pahokee, Fla.

#### COMING EVENTS:

July 3—A special Independence Day service will be held in the evening at 8 o'clock.  
July 19—Baby Day. All babies up to four years of age will be special guests accompanied by their mothers and fathers. A special consecration service will be conducted.

### Girls' State Group Elects Officers

TALLAHASSEE—Anna D'Agostino of Orlando was inaugurated Governor of Florida Girls State here last week. She succeeds Mary Jane Marshall of Tallahassee. The 16-year-old high school senior and cheerleader defeated Carol Schaeffer of Gainesville in the final election.

Other new officials of the American Legion Auxiliary sponsored state are Jacqueline Liechty, Jacksonville, Secretary of State; Susanne James, Panama City, Comptroller; June Conners, Gainesville, Attorney General; Martha Chapman, Sanford, Treasurer; Gloria Grantham, Quincy, Superintendent of Public Instruction and Inez Nell Roman, Key West, Commissioner of Agriculture.

The girls enjoyed an inaugural reception at the Governor's Mansion.

#### MARINE RECRUITING

JACKSONVILLE—Capt. J. J. Reardon, State Marine recruiting officer, has announced that effective July 1 Marine Corps Recruiting Offices throughout the state will be open from 8:00 a. m. until 4:30 p. m., Mondays through Fridays. The offices will not be open on Saturdays, but Marines will confer with applicants or other interested persons at any time. Appointments may be made by calling or writing the nearest office.

### Rates Questioned By Broward Group

FT. LAUDERDALE—Clamming discrimination against Ft. Lauderdale, the Broward County Traffic Association has appealed to the Florida Railroad and Public Utilities Commission citing the fact that the cost of shipping a carload of plaster from Jacksonville to Ft. Lauderdale is \$67.20 higher than to Miami which is 25 miles further away. The rate on plaster from Jacksonville to Ft. Lauderdale is \$5.76 compared with a rate of only \$4.08 to Miami.

### Negroes Enjoy Beach Site Near Jupiter

More than 2,000 negroes from West Palm Beach and adjoining communities and from as far south as Miami attended the picnic staged over the weekend at this county's new public beach near Jupiter, according to Dr. W. H. Collier, commander of American Legion Post 199.

The event was sponsored by the negro Legion post and Knobby L. Thomas Post 6346, VFW.

The posts which joined in the picnic extended thanks to Sheriff John F. Kirk and his deputies and to the Florida State Highway Patrol for their cooperation in handling the huge crowds. An honor guard and team of lifeguards from the two veterans' post were also lauded for their work in patrolling the beach and watching the bathers.—Palm Beach Times.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation for the many expressions of sympathy and the lovely flowers sent during the illness and death of our father Mr. J. L. DeLoach.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Echols.

Mrs. W. A. Howell left Friday for Cherry Point, N. C., to visit her daughter, Miss Frances Howell, who is librarian at the Marine base there.

### Classified Ads

FOR SALE: New and used Willys Jeeps. Walter Ashley Garage in Belle Glade, Phone 128. J11cn

SEPTIC tanks and grease traps cleaned and repaired. Phone 3872, Bob Douthitt, Pahokee. M17c

WELL DRILLING: See Bob Douthitt, Pahokee, Fla., Phone 3872. J17cn

FOR SALE: Two houses and lots and 3 acres of muck, good buy all together or can be bought separately. All on Bacom Point Road. W. J. Adams, Phone 638. J24p

FOR SALE: EVERGLADES MUCK FARM LAND AND ACREAGE—100 ACRES TO 10,000 ACRES IMPROVED OR UNIMPROVED. SEE C. A. BAILEY, REAL ESTATE BROKER, PHONE 2770, BELLE GLADE.

FOR SALE: Bedroom Suite, Lite finish, with Box Springs, inter-spring Mattress, \$75 cash. C. A. Stuckey, Pahokee. 4tp

FOR SALE: Twenty Acres muck close to ridge in sec. 1, Twp. 42, Rg. 37, \$200.00 per acre to settle an estate. See or call Dan Carpenter, Telephone 7156, res. phone 2571.

SCOOTER FOR SALE at a bargain. Just recently overhauled by one of the outstanding mechanics in the Glades. Runs slick as a whistle. Stop by The Everglades News office and see it operate. The editor would like to convert it into \$69.30 in cash to add to the vacation money he is accumulating.

FOR RENT: Office Rooms upstairs, Ave. A. Belle Glade see C. A. Bailey Real Estate, Phone 2770, Belle Glade, Florida.

MODEL "A" FOR SALE: Good Condition. See John Rogers, or Telephone 3861. J17cn

INSTRUCTS TRAINEES LAKE WORTH — Clifford B. Savage, retired employee of the Everglades experiment station at Belle Glade, and resident of West Palm Beach, will be instructor for some 32 trainees in agriculture under the Veterans Administration in an educational program to be carried on at Lake Worth high school building.

### Better Study This New Automobile Law

TAMPA—The state financial responsibility law for automobile drivers went into effect on July 1 and should not be confused with compulsory insurance, stated Asher Frank, director of the Florida Safety Council.

Frank stated that the law was passed to make drivers more safety conscious and to influence them to use greater caution on the highways.

He explains that the law means a driver who is at fault in an accident causing injury to person or property must pay for such damage and requires him to show proof of financial responsibility to pay for damage in future accidents.

Failure to meet these requirements would cause a driver at fault to lose his driver's license for one year, Frank said.

### Karl Watson Has Birthday Party

Mrs. Paul Watson entertained recently at the Baptist Church with a lawn party honoring her son, Karl, on his eighth birthday anniversary.

Games were enjoyed and pink and green candy baskets were presented to the guests as favors. The hostess was assisted with the serving of refreshments to approximately 20 guests by Miss Shirley Watson and Miss Patsy Batchelor.

### Fish Like Cabbage At Marineland

MARINELAND — Florida cabbages and potatoes are the favorite foods of many of the vegetarian fish in Marine Studios' huge oceanarium, according to members of the organization's scientific staff.

Cabbages are bunched on wires and fastened in the giant tanks by divers. As fresh cabbages are placed, the smaller fish flock quickly around the fresh green-stuffs.

To capture new specimens for Marine Studios, traps are lowered in the coral reefs off the Florida Keys, baited with potatoes and carrots. Such baits bring catches of angelfish, parrots, rock beauties and others in the smaller varieties.

### Watermelon Party For Victory Class

The Victory Class of the First Methodist Sunday School enjoyed a watermelon party in the social room of the church on Thursday night of last week with Mrs. R. B. Simonson, Mrs. Pauline Rice, Mrs. R. J. Schroder, Mrs. J. M. Elliott, Mrs. R. F. Hurt, Mrs. J. D. Rogers and Mrs. H. T. Williams acting as hostesses.

Watermelon games and stunts were enjoyed and prize were awarded to Mrs. Leo Maxwell, Mrs. Ila Mae Watson, Mrs. L. W. Armstrong, Mrs. Jenny Early, Mrs. Nola Smith and Mrs. George Ramey.

Members of the class presented their teacher, Mrs. R. J. Schroder, with a lovely vase in honor of her 22nd anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Sellers and children spent the weekend in West Palm Beach visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Lopez. Mr. Lopez is convalescing from a recent operation.

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M. Y. F. 6:45 p. m.  
Evening Service 7:45 p. m.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to worship with us. If you have no church home or if you are visiting our community, a warm welcome is waiting for you. We will be thinking on the following two themes this Sunday. At the morning service "The Unavoidable Christ" At the evening service our theme will be "Getting rid of Jesus". You will enjoy the spiritual song service and special singing at the evening service. I call to attention the fact that there will be an official board meeting on Thursday July 21st. Will all members of the official board please be present. "See You In Church Sunday."

### Bankers To Learn Forestry Methods

GAINESVILLE — The forestry conference for bankers will be held at the University of Florida, July 12-13, under the sponsorship of the forestry committee of the Florida Bankers Association, the School of Forestry of the University and the Agricultural Committee, Jacksonville branch of the Federal Reserve Bank.

The purpose of the conference is to demonstrate the economic potential of forestry for Florida as a whole and for bankers in particular.

Both the theoretical and practical aspects will be covered in such a manner as to prove beyond doubt that bankers can play an important part in the forestry program of the state.

### Traffic Count Up On East Coast No. 1

NEW SMYRNA BEACH — According to figures recently released by the Division of Research and Records of the State Road Department, traffic on U. S. 1 was up over 10 per cent for May over the same month a year ago, the East Coast Highway Association announced.

A total of 2,378 vehicles a day passed the checking point during the month, the report states. West Coast traffic of U. S. 41 from Tampa north was even greater with an average of 3,774 vehicles per day.

The Highway 27 Association is inaugurating an intensive advertising program to bring travel over this popular central Florida route and indications are the state can look for a good tourist motor business this summer.

National Airlines has made application to the Civil Aeronautics Board for permission to make stops at Gainesville and Ocala over its route between Jacksonville and Tampa. The examiner has recommended that such permission be granted. Eastern Air Lines is seeking permission for similar service.





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Banking House .....	31,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures .....	28,500.00
United States Bonds ..	\$2,195,850.00
State, County and Municipal Bonds .....	40,355.00
Stocks .....	5,000.00
Cash On Hand and Due from Banks .....	\$2,172,136.26 \$4,413,341.26
Total .....	\$5,690,451.39

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Capital Stock ....	\$ 50,000.00
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